

State of New Hampshire

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Adjunct Association of Keene State College, NEA-New Hampshire

Complainant

Trustees of the University System of New Hampshire/Keene State College

Respondent

Case No. U-0614

Decision No. 2002-055

ORDER TO CONTINUE

In response to communications from counsel for the System and Association, dated April 25, 2002 and May 3, 2002, respectively, in which the parties have jointly sought an additional ninety (90) days in which to negotiate and "define the scope" of the bargaining unit for the adjunct employees at Keene State College and in an attempt to accomplish this by consensus rather than as the result of a remand hearing before the Public Employees Labor Relations Board pursuant to Appeal of the University System of New Hampshire Board of Trustees, N.H. Supreme Court Docket No. 2000-335 (Slip op. April 19, 2002),

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that (1) this matter stand continued in the PELRB's docket of cases for ninety (90) days in order to permit the parties to accomplish the purposes of their request, said ninety (90) day period to expire on August 7, 2002; (2) the parties shall report any resolution of the status of the composition of said bargaining unit to the PELRB promptly upon reaching a consensus and ratification thereon; and (3) the parties, or either of them, shall notify the PELRB of the status of their efforts to resolve the composition of this bargaining unit not later than close of business on August 9, 2002, inclusive of a report of whether further proceedings or hearing(s) are required before the PELRB in accordance with the foregoing remand.

So ordered Signed this 7th day of May, 2002.

BRUCE K. JOHNSON Alternate Chairman